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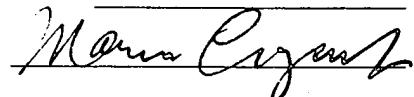


<i>In re Application of</i> Albert Chu	
Application Number 10/023,205	Filed December 14, 2001
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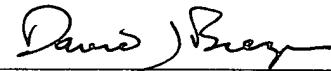
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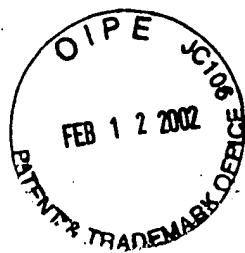
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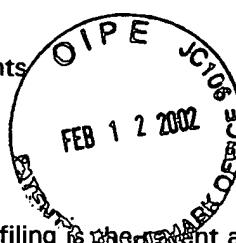
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Enclosed are also:

Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO Form 8; copies of IDS citations

5 Sheets of FORMAL/INFORMAL drawing

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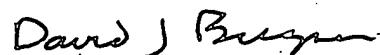
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This application claims the benefit under 35 U.S.C. 119(e) of United States provisional application Serial No. 60/256,143, filed December 15, 2000.

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